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blindness; dizziness; or vertigo; tobacco asth-
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The Current Can Now Be Obtained
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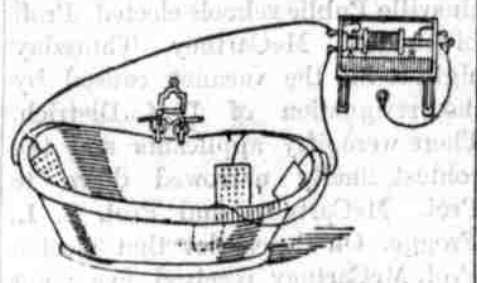
A Curative Agent Which Is Very Popular
in Europe—The Simple Apparatus
Used for Single Baths in
Residences.

Electricity taken from lighting
circuits is now employed in Europe
as a curative agent. The current is
controlled by suitable instruments, so
that the tension is below the point
where harm could be inflicted to
delicate persons. Electricity in medi-
cine has probably not made as great an
advance as its importance merits, but
this may be largely attributable to the
state of empiricism of electro-
therapeutics or to the great difficulties
in the way of the employment of the
electrical apparatus themselves.

The idea of employing water in a
bath for conveying the current to a
patient is almost as old as the
therapeutic application of dynamic
electricity, the electricity being used
in two forms—the continuous current
and the faradic bath. The former is
largely employed in Germany, while
recently interesting researches upon
the faradic current have been made by
French, English and Italian physicians.
These experimentalists followed up the
peculiar effects shown by Dr.
d'Arsonval to be produced on the
human body by alternating currents
of a definite form—the sinusoidal form
—in which for a given maximum in-
tensity the instantaneous variations are
slightest.

In France the employment of this
form of current has been very success-
ful, the method followed considerably
simplifying the apparatus required for
the installation. The currents used
are extremely weak. In order to lower
the tension of the current of the light-
ing circuit and graduate its strength, a
transformer is employed, which lowers
the tension to fifteen volts. This is
the maximum required, and in a large
installation each bath is arranged with
a transformer with a sliding armature,
enabling the tension to be varied gradu-
ally from fifteen volts to one or two
volts.

Where only a single bath is to be fit-
ted up, as in a private residence, there
is employed a combination in series of
a shocking coil and a small transformer.
The whole is placed in a little marble
receptacle above the bath and at one
side, as shown in the accompanying il-
lustration, reproduced from the Revue



ELECTRIC THERAPEUTICS FROM LIGHTING
CIRCUITS.

Internationale de l'Electricite. The
secondary of the transformer moves
along slides, and a rod passing to the
outside enables the current to be regu-
lated from a maximum to a minimum
strength. The primary circuit is pro-
vided with an interrupter. The wires
of the secondary proceed directly to
the electrodes, which are simple plates
of metal that can be placed anywhere
in the bath by means of suspending
hooks. There may also be added an
ammeter for continuous and alterna-
ting currents, by means of which the
strength of the currents can be es-
timated with strict accuracy.

The conditions under which the elec-
tricity is employed have been fully de-
termined by experiment. The first
measurement of interest is that of the
resistance of the bath when filled with
ordinary water, and also the intensity
of the current and the difference of po-
tential at the electrodes. The deter-
mination of the resistance of the body
when immersed in the bath is found by
first testing the quantity of current re-
quired when the subject is in the bath,
next finding the resistance of the same
quantity of water without the subject,
and then adding the requisite amount
of water necessary to bring the bath
to the exact level when the subject
was immersed and determining the re-
sistance required to overcome the re-
sistance.

The conclusions reached by these ex-
periments were that, with water of
comparatively good conductivity, the
human body when submerged offers a
resistance somewhat above that of an
equal volume of water, and that the
current passing through the middle
section of the body is equal to about
one-tenth of the total current passing
into the bath.

The employment of electricity by the
utilization of the industrial currents,
which are within the reach of all phy-
sicians, connected as they are with the
lighting system of towns, would seem
to open up a wider field of application
for this method of medical treatment.

Exit on the Contribution Plate.

A well-known bishp tells a story of a
vestryman at a village church who de-
liberately took half a crown out of the
plate as he brought it up to the com-
munion table and slipped it into his
pocket. "I saw him take it," said the
bishop, "and intended to charge him
with it at the end of the service, but
carried away by the sublimity of the
service I forgot all about it. Next day
I remembered and spoke about it."
"Oh, sir," said the old man, "never you
worry about that; that half dollar has
done good service for many years. I
keep it to put down first, and then the
gentry, seeing a poor man like me put
a half dollar in the plate, can't for
shame give less."

High Prices Paid for Furs.

Very high prices have been paid for
furs this year in London. A sea otter
skin, stripped off glove fashion, with-
out being cut down the stomach,
brought \$1,125, the highest price on
record for a single skin, and one black
fox skin sold for \$350. They went to
Russia.

WILL HE BE SEATED?

Mr. Dupont's Peculiar Election to the
United States Senate.

Just before adjourning the repub-
lican members of the Delaware legisla-
ture elected Col. Henry A. Dupont to
the United States senate. The governor
of the state, however, pronounces the
election irregular, and an appeal will
have to be taken to the senate.

Col. Henry A. Dupont, who may suc-
ceed Senator Higgins, was born July
30, 1838, in New Castle county, Del.,
and besides being a millionaire railroad
president, is a member of one of the
historic families of that state. He is a
son of Gen. Henry Dupont, who is cred-
ited with having held the Delaware
troops in line for the union at the
breaking out of the rebellion, and is a



COL. HENRY A. DUPONT.

great-grandson of Eleuthere Irenee Du-
pont de Nemours, the founder of the
great Dupont powder works near
Wilmington. Col. Dupont was ap-
pointed to a cadetship at West
Point, and graduated from the
military academy in May, 1861. He
immediately entered the army of the
north, choosing the artillery branch of
the service. He served with bravery
and distinction, coming out of the war
with the rank of colonel. The late
President Hayes in some of his writings
paid the young artillery officer a high
and deserved compliment for the cour-
age and dash with which he made an
advance on the enemy while in an en-
gagement under the Ohio general.

After the war Col. Dupont was asso-
ciated with the various business enter-
prises of the family until 1878, when he
entered the railroad service, in which
he has continued to the present time.
He is the partner in the firm of E. I.
Dupont de Nemours & Co., generally
known as the Dupont Powder company,
but takes little part in its active man-
agement, that duty falling to his cousin,
Eugene Dupont, who is a practical
powder-maker. Since 1878 Col. Dupont's
time and attention have been chiefly
absorbed by his railroad service. He
began his career in that line as director
of the Wilmington & Northern rail-
road.

REAR ADMIRAL ALMY.

He Had More Active Sea Service Than
Any Other Naval Officer.

The family and friends of Rear Ad-
miral Almy, Washington, are very
much alarmed about his illness. Owing
to his advanced age few hopes are en-
tertained that he will survive the pre-
sent attack, as he is very ill.

A native of Rhode Island, where he
was born April 28, 1815, John J. Almy
was early inured to a life on the water.
He was but 14 when he became a mid-
shipman and cruised in the Mediter-
ranean and on the coast of Brazil. At
twenty he was a past midshipman, and
occupied several minor positions in the
service during the next few years. He
gained his commission as lieutenant in
1841, and was attached to the Ohio in
the Gulf of Mexico and the Pacific
during the Mexican war. In the trou-
blesome times off the coast of Nicara-
gua in the 50s Lieut. Almy had an im-
portant work to do. He commanded the
Fulton, and in that position did his
duty so credibly as to call for high
commendation from the admiral com-
manding, Rear Admiral Paulding. That
officer characterized Lieut. Almy's
performances thus: "He performed his
part of the work exceedingly well, and
is an officer to be relied upon at all
times." He commanded the Fulton in
the Paraguay expedition, and on the
outbreak of the civil war was made
commander and did valuable service



REAR ADMIRAL JOHN J. ALMY.

during the blockade. In 1865 he was
commissioned as captain, and in De-
cember, 1869, he had the added dignity
of commodore conferred upon him.
Four years later he was appointed to
the rank of rear admiral, and was ap-
pointed to command the United States
naval forces in the Pacific. In the re-
volution in Panama he, by his action at
a critical moment, saved the City of
Panama and the Panama railroad from
being destroyed, and afforded needed
protection to both American and Eu-
ropean residents, though he had only
a comparatively small force at his im-
mediate command. He received the
thanks of the whole of the people
whose interests he had so ably pro-
tected. From the king of Hawaii he
received the Order of King Kameha-
meha I., in appreciation of courtesy
and attentions bestowed upon his
majesty during his journey through
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order they are on this bill will receive the first
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or coming nearest placing them right, will be
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or being the next nearest, will receive the third
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